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### **Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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CHRISTOPHER J. DIORIO, ET AL.

Application No.: 10/824,049

Filed: April 13, 2004

For: Method and Apparatus to Configure an RFID System to

be Adaptable to a Plurality of Environmental Conditions

Art Group: 2632

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#### RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Sir:

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- a duly executed Declaration and Power of Attorney with payment in the amount of \$130.00 for the surcharge of 37 CFR § 1.16(e);

and

- copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.

If any additional fee is required, please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666. An extra copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

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